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The electrical modifications have been completed; however, some electrical adjustments are still required to satisfactorily balance the system. The instrument is being adjusted for optimum performance with a maximum of 500 feet of film on either side. From preliminary tests the maximum speed in uncoupled motor drive is approximately 250 feet per minute, based on the time required to drive 500 feet of film. Under the most adverse manual and motor driving conditions the film can be made to slip a slight amount. However in the final balanced system it is anticipated that slippage will be negligible if not completely eliminated. It does not appear that the coupled motor drive will be satisfactory without using both joysticks. The maximum speed when driving both sides through one pair of motors is reduced considerably and there is an increased tendency for the film to slip. The coupled drive when using both joy sticks seems to be quite satisfactory. Only the right hand wheel is activated in the manual coupled mode and it appears to be satisfactory for driving the film with little noticeable increase in torque on the hand wheel.

To complete the instrument, in addition to completing the electrical balance, it is necessary only to re-install the sheet metal covers and recheck, and possibly realign, the optical system. The instrument should be ready for inspection by the customer by the end of the first week of October.

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